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MEMORANDUM

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TO: J. Lee Rankin

FROM: Stuart R. Pollak

SUBJECT: Possible Deletions from Volumes 7 (pp 360-378), 11, 12, and 13 (pp 1-329)

I. Passages which if published might involve invasions of the privacy of the witness or which may be thought to be unjustifiably offensive, insulting or defamatory of some person other than the witness, and which may be of insufficient relevance to justify their publication.

	Vol	Page	
Vol. XII	11	160	Beaty: Ruby had a stripper, Jada, who was "just a little indecent about her act and he would have to turn the lights off every once in a while and tell her to clean it up a little bit...."
Vol. XII	11	205	The following colloquy appears in the conclusion of Croy's deposition: Mr. Griffin. You were living in your mother's and dad's house at that time? Mr. Croy. I slept there. Mr. Griffin. Well, was your wife living there also? Mr. Croy. No. Mr. Griffin. Were you separated from her? Mr. Croy. No. (To reporter: Don't put that in there. Mr. Griffin. Were you separated at that time? Mr. Croy: At that time.

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	Vol	Page	
Vol XII	11	330	Mr. Griffin's statement to the witness Newman that he is "a dam liar."
Vol XII	12	183-84	Eberhardt: Ruby previously provided the police with information in connection with the investigation of other crimes, including who had some dangerous drugs, "a fellow by the name of who was wanted in connection with a white slavery charge," and "a safe burglar,
Vol. XIII	12	216-17	Mrs. Carlin: There was some relationship between Jack Ruby and Joy Dale other than business which Joy was using "over his head;" Mrs. Carlin knows "only what Joy would tell me, and Joy was a big liar. She was known to lie about things that she had no reason to lie about...."
Vol. XIV	13	96-97	Litchfield: He relates his criminal record.
Vol. XIV	13	99-100	Litchfield: As a condition to his doing business with Bertha Cheek "I would have had to divorce my wife and would have had to have married her for any further business to have been transacted." "...it wasn't a verbal condition -- it was an obvious condition."
Vol. XIII	12	304	Armstrong: He relates his prison record.
Vol. XIII	12	385	Mrs. Cheek: Her daughter has cancer.
Vol. XIII	12	403-04	Crafard: His brother-in-law, 'is in the pen,' right now serving a 2½-15 year term for breaking and entering.
Vol. XIII	12	411-412	Crafard: There is some doubt he is the father of his wife's child; there is also some doubt as to whether the child is hers (sic).

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Vol. XIII	12	427	Crafard: "Bill De Mar is a fake."
XIII	12	439	Crafard: After stating that he believes Ruby may be a homosexual and that he had friends whom Crafard thought were homosexuals, Crafard lists "George Senator, for one."

II. Other questionable passages.

XIII	12	216	Mrs. Carlin: Ruby's remark to her, "hurry up and get your ass dressed."
XIII	12	442	Crafard relates two off-color jokes to demonstrate the type of sexual joke to which Ruby objected.

III. There are a few places in these volumes where it is not clear whether there has been a reporting or typographical error. The attorney who took the testimony should check the following pages of my copy of the transcript in the GPO office on the 5th floor.

Vol 11: 301 (Griffin)
Vol 12: 22 (Griffin)
Vol 12: 216 (Hubert)
Vol 13: 41 and 97 (Hubert)

It should be noted that in the depositions of police officers of the same title, some are referred to by the press as "Mr." and others are referred to by their title as "Captain" or "Sergeant".